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SUBJ: GOP AIDE MEMOIRE ON ASSURANCES TO NON-NUCLEAR POWERS

SECURITY COUNCIL, NOTABLY, ALGERIA, BRAZIL AND PAKISTAN HAD
POINTED OUT THEIR INADEQUACY AND HAD URGED THAT THEY
SHOULD BE IN THE NATURE OF SOLEMN UNDERTAKING BY ALL THE
FIVE NUCLEAR WEAPON POWERS, AND THAT THE COMMITMENT OF THE
PERMANENT MEMBERS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO SUPPORT A
NON-NUCLEAR WEAPON POWER, SHOULD BE BOTH COLLECTIVE AND
INDIVIDUAL. THE NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES HAD IN ADDITION
DEMANDED THAT THE NUCLEAR UMBRELLA SHOULD NOT BE
RESTRICTED TO SIGNATORIES OF THE NON-PROLIFERATION
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TREATY BUT SHOULD BE PROVIDED TO ALL NON-NUCLEJR WEAPON

STATES WITHOUT DISCRIMINATION.

8. THE U.S.-SOVIET STATEMENT TO ACT JOINTLY TO PREVENT NUCLEAR WAR ALSO DOES NOT INSPIRE SUFFICIENT CONFIDENCE BECAUSE IT WAS PRIMARILY DESIGNED TO PREVENT NUCLEAR CONFRONTATION BETWEEN THE TWO SUPER POWERS. ITS SCOPE DOES NOT EXTEND TO SITUATIONS IN WHICH EITHER OF THEM IS NOT INVOLVED. HENCE THE JOINT STATEMENT CANNOT BE A SOURCE OF COMFORT OR CONFIDENCE TO NON-NUCLEAR WEAPON STATES WHICH ARE OUTSIDE THE SYSTEM OF MILITARY ALLIANCES OF THE TWO SUPER POWERS.

9. FOR A GUARANTEE TO BE CREDIBLE AND EFFECTIVE, WHAT IS NEEDED IN THE WORDS OF PRIME MINISTER ZULFIKAR ALI BHUTTO IS:

" A JOINT UNDERTAKING IN THE NATURE OF AN OBLIGATION BY ALL PERMANENT MEMBERS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO ACT COLLECTIVELY OR INDIVIDUALLY ON BEHALF OF THE THREATENED STATE. IN OTHER WORDS, A NUCLEAR UMBRELLA OF ALL THE FIVE GREAT POWERS OR, FAILING THAT, OF AT LEAST ONE OF THEM IS THE IRREDUCIBLE MINIMUM OF PROTECTION THAT IS REQUIRED TO GIVE STATES LIKE PAKISTAN A REAL ASSURANCE OF SECURITY AGAINST NUCLEAR THREAT OR BLACKMAIL".

10. THE GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN BELIEVES THAT THE NON-NUCLEAR POWER STATES COULD BY UNITED EFFORT PERSUADE THE PERMANENT MEMBERS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL TO PROVIDE THE NECESSARY ASSURANCES. IT IS RAISING THIS MATTER WITH THE PERMANENT MEMBERS OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL AND WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS.

11. THE GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN REQUESTS OTHER NON-NUCLEAR WEAPON STATES TO GIVE EARNEST CONSIDERATION TO THE SUGGESTION MADE BY THE GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN. IT WOULD ALSO BE GRATEFUL TO THEM FOR IDEAS AND PROPOSALS THAT THEY MAY HAVE IN ORDER TO PROMOTE THE SECURITY OF THE NON-NUCLEAR WEAPON STATES. THE UNITED NATIONS HAS A SPECIAL RESPONSIBILITY TO ACT IN THIS MATTER, OTHERWISE THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY MAY WELL WITNESS THE FINAL DESCENT INTO UNCLASSIFIED

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NUCLEAR ANARCHY. IT WOULD BE APPRECIATED, HOWEVER, THAT THE SECURITY COUNCIL MAY NOT ACT WITHOUT THE URGING OF MEMBER STATES OF THE UNITED NATIONS.

12. UNLESS THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY TAKES URGENT AND EFFECTIVE STEPS IN THE SITUATION CREATED BY INDIA'S EMERGENCE AS THE SIXTH NUCLEAR WEAPON POWER, THE THREAT OF NUCLEAR BLACKMAIL THAT HAS EMERGED IN SOUTH ASIA MAY

SPREAD TO OTHER AREAS. THE BARRIER TO NUCLEAR PROLIFERATION
INTERPOSED BY THE NON-PROLIFERATION TREATY HAVING BEEN
DEMILISHED, THE ROAD HAS BEEN THROWN OPEN FOR ISRAEL,
AND SOUTH AFRICA TO EMULATE INDIA'S EXAMPLE WITH ALL THE
CONSEQUENCES TO THE PEACE AND SECURITY OF THE MIDDLE EAST
AND SOUTH AFRICA. THE GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN HOPES,
THEREFORE, THAT THE PROBLEM WILL RECEIVE THE CAREFUL AND
IMMEDIATE ATTENTION OF ALL MEMBERS OF THE UNITED
NATIONS.

END QUOTE.
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